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The following chart shows production at the Leuna Works during the first quarter of 1955; all amounts are in metric tons:

Product	January	February	March	Total 1 January 1955-31 March 1955	
Motor fuel ¹	16,868	15,449	13,584	45,901	
Diesel fuel	7,057	4,769	3,977	15,803	
Fuel	1,452	2,067	1,794	5,313	
Motor oil	347	397	348	1,092	
Turbine oil	41	-	54	95	
Lubricating oil	57	56	79	192	
Compressor oil	33	15	35	83	
Ethane	377	358	328	1,063	25X1
Pure methanol	4,715	4,520	5,084	14,319	
Isobutyl oil (crude)	2,340	3,410	3,910	9,660	
Phenol (pure)	699	641	737	2,077	
Caprolactam	331	286	356	973	
Nitric acid	140	154	167	461	
Hydrochloric acid (pure)	187	150	166	503	
SO ₂ (liquid)	78	77	66	221	25X1
Dimethylether	192	172	177	541	
Urea	354	343	371	1,068	

I. The steady monthly drop in the production of motor fuel and Diesel fuel during the quarter was caused by the falling off of the supply of Austrian crude oil from Zistersdorf. The average 1954 monthly production for those products at Leuna was 22,200 tons of motor fuel and 9,200 tons of Diesel fuel.

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